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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of Jawed Aaser and Jean R. Pierre	
Application Number	09/714,469
For Polymer blends Containing Polyhydroxyalkanoates and Compositions with Good Retention of Elongation	
Group Art Unit	1714
Examiner	T. H. Yoon

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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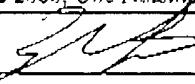
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	Group Art Unit	1714	
	Examiner Name	T. H. Yoon	
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Serial No.: 09/714,469 Art Unit: 1714

Filed: November 16, 2000 Examiner: T. H. Yoon

For: **POLYMER BLENDS CONTAINING POLYHYDROXYALKANOATES  
AND COMPOSITIONS WITH GOOD RETENTION OF ELONGATION**

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101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	
106 330	206 185	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 265	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$0.00)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
8	4		• 20	X	
			• 3	X	

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
103 18	203 8	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 8	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
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139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for or parts recombination	
112 820*	112 820*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
118 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	200.00
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121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to Institute a public use proceeding	
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